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Applicant : Weenna Bucay-Couto
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SIR:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
and NOTICE OF APPEAL

In response to the Final Action mailed May 1, 2007, Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner to grant a 3-month extension of time, up to and including November 1, 2007, in which to respond to the Final Office Action mailed May 1, 2007 in the

above-identified application.

Applicant hereby respectfully appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed May 1, 2007 finally rejecting pending claims 1-4, 6-21, and 33-37 in this application.

Authorization is hereby given to charge the 3-month extension fee (\$1050), as well as the Appeal Fee (\$510) to the undersigned attorney's PTO deposit account No. 50-1047 accordingly. It is further requested that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office charge any deficiencies, or credit any overpayments made to Deposit Account 50-1047.

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Respectfully submitted,



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